



PATENT APPLICATION

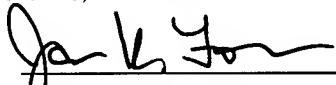
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Akira Kuramori et al.
Serial No.: 10/531,374
Conf. No.: 1233
Filed: April 15, 2005
For: TIRE WHEEL ASSEMBLY
Art Unit: 3617
Examiner: Kotter, Kip T.

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September 17, 2007

Date


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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed May 15, 2007, finally rejecting Claim 1. The filing fee for the Notice of Appeal of \$500.00 is paid by check attached hereto. A Petition for Extension of Time for one month, with a check for the fee of \$120.00 is also attached.

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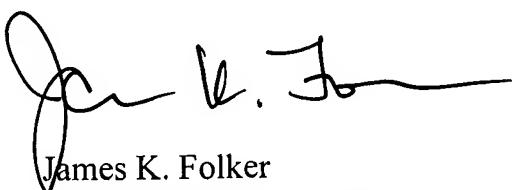


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